on the basis of market value of the land on the date of Section 4 notification plus 30% solatium. This amount is further subject to the decision of the civil courts on reference and in appeal. Therefore, there is no single rate of land acquisition which can be cited in response to the question. However, as a guide to the Land Acquisition Collectors and in the interest of the agriculturists, the Lt. Governor has indicated the minimum compensation for agricultural land as under :

(i) Rs. 1.5 lacs per acre for land situated in the river bed between the forward bund;

(ii) Rs. 4.65 lacs per acre for all other agricultural land.

So far as non-agricultural land is concerned, the rates fixed by Land & Development Office for different parts of Delhi are taken as a guide by the Land Acquisition Collectors.

Shifting of Government Departments and Offices from Delhi

5171. SHRI O. P. KOHLI : Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government have been making announcements from time to time about shifting some Government Departments and offices of the public sector undertakings outside the capital to decongest Delhi;

(b) if so, the names of the Departments and offices shifted outside Delhi so far; and

(c) if no Department or office has been shifted so far what are the reasons therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI P. K. THUNGON) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The names of the Central Government offices and offices of Public Sector Undertaking which have shifted outside Delhi in the recent past are given in the statement enclosed. (*See* below)

(c) Does not arise in view of (b) above.

Statement

Details of offices shifted outside Delhi during recent past.

S. No.	Name of the Office	Where shifted
1.	CENTRAL GOVERNMENT OFFICES :	
(i)	Postal Staff College	Ghaziabad
(ii)	National Labour Institute	Noida
(iii)	National Vocational Training Institute for Women	Noida
2.	PUBLIC SECTOR UNDERTAKINGS :	
(i)	Paradeep Phosphates Ltd. (Headquarters)	Bhubaneswar, Orissa
(ii	Pyrites, Phosphates & Chemicals Ltd. (Headquarters)	Noida
(iii)	Indo-Burma Petroleum Co. Ltd. (Headquarters) Chemical Division	Noida
(iv)	National Project Construction Corporation Ltd. (Headquarters)	Shifted partially to Faridabad